

HOUSE BILL 1021

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 5;  
Title 6; Title 7; Title 65 and Title 68, relative to  
wind energy facility siting.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. On or before March 1, 2018, the department of environment and conservation is urged to study energy facility siting laws in other states that apply specifically to wind projects. Within ninety (90) days from the conclusion of any such study, the department shall submit a written summary of those laws that require or allow a state to regulate wind energy facility siting to the agriculture and natural resources committee of the house of representatives and the energy, agriculture and natural resources committee of the senate.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.